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MESSAGE:

Following is a Response to Office Action mailed April 17, 2007 (7 sheets) and a Petition for Extension of Time (1 sheet) for the above-referenced patent application.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Steven Lonnes

Filed: February 27, 2006

Serial No.: 10/569,560

Title: Slurry Tolerant Pilot Operated
Relief Valve§ Examiner: Fristoe, Jr., John K.
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§ Art Unit: 3753
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§ Attorney Docket No.: 2003UR037
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED APRIL 17, 2007**

Sir:

This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed April 17, 2007 in connection with the above-identified application. Reconsideration is requested in view of the following considerations.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.